Martin A. Pedersen, L.S.

Distinguished Service Award



Martin A. Pedersen, L.S. has served NCEES in various capacities for the past 13 years. A member of the NCEES Board of Directors for seven years, he was the 2005-06 president, the 2002-04 treasurer, and the 2000-02 Western Zone vice president. Pedersen has also served on numerous NCEES committees and task forces, including nine years on the Committee on Examinations for Professional Surveyors. This year, he continued his service to the Council as a member of the Computer-Based Testing Task Force and as a consultant to the Special Task Force on Governance.

A member of the Wyoming State Board of Professional Engineering and Professional Land Surveying from 1995 to 2007, Pedersen served as board president, Western Zone assistant vice president, and chair to a number of Western Zone committees. He also chaired the exam development and item-writing workshops for the state-specific land surveying exam. He represented the board before the state legislature to encourage the adoption of NCEES Model Law language. In 2008, Pedersen received the Western Zone Distinguished Service Award. He is now an emeritus member of the Wyoming Board.

Pedersen is committed to promoting the surveying profession and has participated in numerous career day actives for high schools. He has also served as a judge for the NCEES sponsored Best Land Surveying Practices award at the Future City Competition, an annual National Engineers Week event.

Pedersen has served as president of the Wyoming Engineering Society, the Professional Land Surveyors of Wyoming, and the American Council of Engineering Companies of Wyoming. He also served as secretary/treasurer of the Wyoming Engineering Society for nine years.